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In re application of :  
KUNIAKI NAGAYAMA : METHOD OF DETERMINING BASE  
Serial No. 09/992,538 : SEQUENCE OF DNA OR RNA AND DNA  
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Sir:

Filed herewith are two (2) sheets of formal drawings for the above-identified application. Please substitute these formal drawings for the informal drawings filed with the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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